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Billy Graham Movie To Play In Elba

The movie, "The Restless Ones", produced by Billy Graham and released by Billy Graham Enterprises, will be shown for four days in Elba on May 26 thru 29, according to Mr. Jack Brunson, chairman of the Coffee County Religious Steering Committee, an organization of county churches of all denominations.

This movie is widely acclaimed and will begin appearing in this area in the next few days but local citizens are reminded that Elba and Enterprise will be afforded an opportunity to see it in Elba on the above mentioned dates. It will be shown in the Elba Theatre building.

FREE PRIZES The grand opening of Taylor Parts and Supply in Elba was climaxed with the drawing for over twenty free prizes for those who registered during the opening. From left to right Riley Taylor, vice-president of Taylor Parts, Myrtle Kervin, private secretary and open house receptionist, Charles Dutton, local store manager and Taylor Parts President, Jimmy Taylor III are pictured as they draw the names for the many prizes. The radio held by Riley Taylor was won by Commissioners Court Clerk, Nadine Fuller.

Legion Is Sponsoring Fair Week

Culver Post 42 of the American Legion is sponsoring an American Legion Fair at Legion Field this 19, 1967, at 7:30 P.M. The week. The gala event will be open to the public each night thru Saturday.

Johnny's United Community's United Community, representing Elba at the position, appearing on the midway, is no stranger to Elba, having played Legion fairs in the past, Saturday afternoon has been set aside as Children's Matinee with 8 rides for \$1, and excessive length of the Legionnaires will not hold their regular monthly meeting Thursday night due to the Fair!

Little Miss Elba To Be Selected Soon

"Little Miss Elba" will be selected at Elba High School Auditorium on April 19, 1967, at 7:30 P.M. The contestants will be comprised of first grade students. The winner will represent Elba at the National Peanut Festival in Dothan, Alabama, next fall. This event was previously held with the "Miss Elba Contest", but due to the number of contestants north of Elba, The Gospel Choir will be featured during the month of February. Reverend R. A. Davis and the members of the church invite everyone to attend.

Elba Student To Present Science Paper



Miss Janice Windham, a sophomore at Elba High School, has been awarded the privilege of reading her scientific paper before the Alabama Junior Academy of Science of Huntsville on April 7th. The paper, "A Survey: Future Needs of Alabama Industries For Persons in Science Related Careers", was given in district competition at the Troy State College Science Fair on April 1st. The paper deals with research which Miss Windham did as a part of a science club project.

According to the gathered information the total number of scientists employed at present by industries participating in the survey was 277, while the total additional number they expect to employ within the next 10 years is 1,489, which is an increase of 536%. The total number of engineers employed at present is 2,691 and the total additional number they expect to employ within the next 10 years is 9,689 which is an increase of 360%. The total number of technicians employed will increase 363%.

While such a survey has limitations due to the small number of industries contacted (about 100), I feel that since a reasonably accurate profile of industry is represented, this gives a fair estimate of the additional needs of industries in Alabama over the next 10 years.

Janice is president of the Elba Science Research Club and secretary of the Elba Mathematics Club, as well as a participant in other school organizations and activities. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Windham, of Route Three, Elba.

Walt Disney Week Proclaimed In Elba

Next week has been designated as "Walt Disney Week" at the Disneyland Drive-In, according to manager, Hubert Von, with all boy and girl scouts being admitted at a reduced admission if they are wearing their uniforms.

The week's event starts off with a three-day showing of Disney's "Follow Me Boys", a story of scouting, on Sunday night, April 9th, thru April 11th. This movie will be followed by "The Fighting Prince" on Wednesday and Thursday, April 12th and 13th.



CAP Unit Organized In Elba

A new unit of the Civil Air Patrol has been organized in Elba. The unit will be commanded by Bill Fulllove, co-pilot for Dorsey Trailers, Executive officer of the unit is Postmaster Robert Cooper, and Dr. Bancroft Cooper will serve as medical officer.

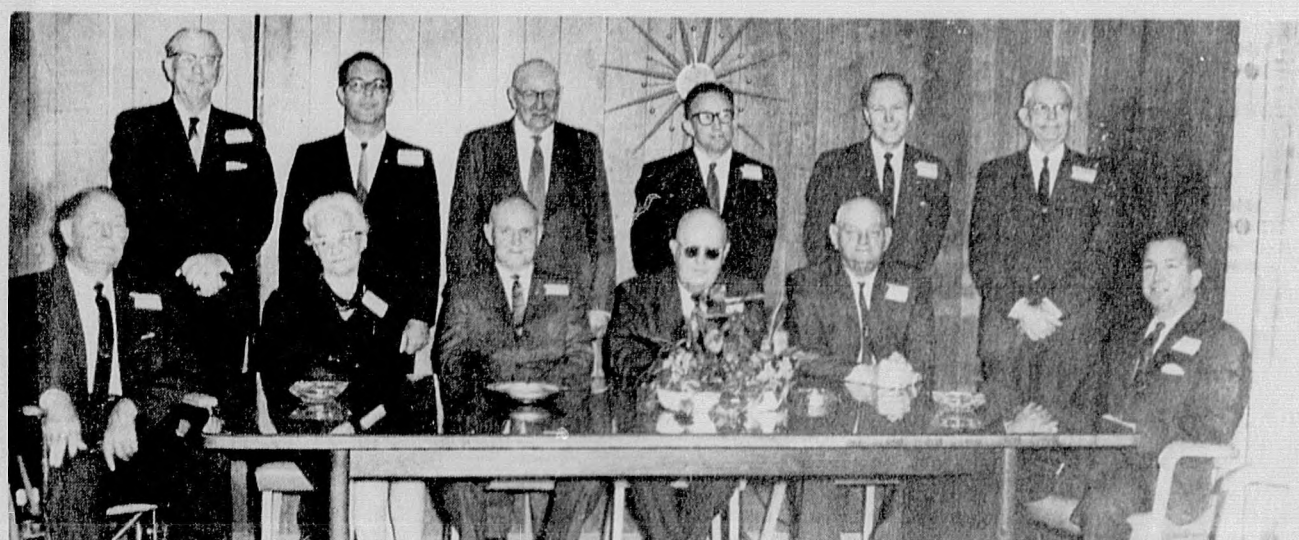
The unit will have both teenagers and adult members, with the youth having the title of cadets and the adults will be officers. About thirty adults have indicated that they wish to take part in this worthwhile organization and many more are expected to join as the news spreads.

The CAP offers aerospace education to its members and they serve as an air-sea rescue unit with equipment and knowledge to take an active part in this work. All members are eligible to take correspondence courses from the U. S. Air Force Institute and to attend the summer trainings at Maxwell Field. Boys and Girls, men and women are eligible and encouraged to join this work.

An aircraft and Air Force ambulance are to be assigned to the Elba unit as soon as the charter is returned and they become operational.

SUPPORT YOUR RESCUE SQUAD

COUNTY WINNERS in the DAR essay contest pictured with the committee chairman from left Mrs. Lane, Enterprise; Ann Martin, Elba; Jennifer Burdick Enterprise; Terry Martin, Elba; Donald Erwin, Enterprise and Mrs. Murdock, Enterprise. Anne Martin also won second place in the state contest. Terry was a state winner last year. Both are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Martin of Elba.



NEW DIRECTORS The National Security Insurance Company held its 20th Annual Stockholders Meeting in Elba on March 30th.

Reports were given by the department managers on various phases of the company's operations during 1966. Life insurance in force increased eighteen million dollars.

The new directors for the company are from left to right sitting: G. R. Saxon, Mabel Brunson, J. Ford Robinson, Dr. R. M. Clements, W. H. Chitt, W. L. Brunson, President; and standing W. B. Crow, Vice-Chairman of the Board; J. R. Brunson, Senior Vice President; C. J. Donald, D. M. English, Secretary-Treasurer; Winfield Bald and Dr. E. T. Brunson, Chairman of the Board. Not pictured is Dr. J. E. Pittman, Jr.

Other officers include: C. R. Kennett and Charles G. Parkhouse, both Vice Presidents.

Anti-Poverty Meeting Planned Tuesday Night

A meeting will be held in the Elba Courthouse on Tuesday night, April 10th, for the purpose of forming a policy advisory committee under the Anti-Poverty Program. This will be a Coffee County advisory committee organized for the purpose of suggestion projects needed under the program.

The public is urged to attend to help select qualified citizens for this committee.

Florida Is Inviting Fishermen

Two gentlemen from the Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission visited in Elba Monday afternoon telling of the good fishing in Florida and encouraging others to try it.

Lieutenants A. E. Runnels and Hewey Clemmons, both information officers for the Commission, were very enthusiastic about their work. Any halfway fisherman would be raring to go after a few minutes talk with them.

Singing Planned At Basin Saturday

There will be a singing at the Basin Community Center on Saturday night, April 8th.

The singing will feature the Mathis Quartet from Richmond, Georgia, and there is no admission charge. The public is invited.



ROTARY CLUB VISITORS - Monday's luncheon of the Elba Rotary Club was attended by some 33 members and guests. Mr. Joe S. Lovett, second from left, Editor of the Alabama Legionnaire and the Reverend W. Alexander McEachern, second from right, pastor of the Brewton Universalist Church, were the honored guests. Both men reside in Brewton.

Dr. V. D. McCreary introduced Mr. Lovett who in turn introduced Reverend McEachern as the principal speaker for the occasion. Reverend McEachern gave a very interesting talk on the wonders of psychology. He teaches psychology at the Jefferson Davis Junior College at Brewton. Mr. Lovett is well known in American Legion for his work in the American Legion of Alabama.

Pictured with the guests are Rotary President Harold Deal, left, and past President, Dr. V. D. McCreary, right.

Career Day Planned At Elba High School

Elba High students of the Vocational Trade School, tenth, eleventh and twelfth Huntingdon College, Troy grades and their parents are urged to attend Career Day on April 17th. There will be ten colleges and the FBI represented, and each student will have the opportunity to attend three different sessions. The first will be from 1:00 until 1:35; the second from 1:40 until 2:15, and the final session will be from 2:20 at 3:40 P.M. have been discontinued.

Represented will be Alabama College, Auburn University, Aviation Technology, Birmingham deliveries will be improved even with the fewer deliveryes.



FFA WEEK IN AMERICA - The Elba High chapter of the Future Homemakers of America are joining their fellow homemakers everywhere in celebrating this occasion. Mayor L. P. Mullins has proclaimed the week of April 3rd to April 7th as FFA Week in Elba and urges all citizens of Elba to celebrate with the FFA girls.

The local girls, under the direction of their advisor, Mrs. Mary P. Young, have planned something for every day in the week beginning with "Church Day" on Sunday.

Officers of the Elba High group are Anelia Sasser, president; Suzanne Prior, Vice-President; Becky Morrow, Secretary-Treasurer; Debbie Easters, Reporter; Eron Holloway, Photographer; Cheryl Cooper, Parliamentarian; Carol Vaughan, Historian; Cheryl Devane, Recreational Leader and Pam Vaughan, Pianist.

APRIL

POOR ORIGINAL



GOOD STANDS ARE NEEDED TO MAKE HIGH YIELDS of corn, peanuts, cotton and soybeans. Coffee County farmers are busy getting these crops in the ground. Planting will continue until about May 1.



By Tom Carnday, County Extension Chairman

FARM NEWS

Several folks have already enrolled in the Wire-grass and Coffee County 4-H Corn Contest. Some of the early signers were A. W. and Joe Wilson of New Hope Community, J. B. McCall of Goodman Community, J. S. Moore of Kinston, E. C. Brooks of New Brockton, and also Carr, last year's winner. Dan Presley tells me that several 4-H Club members have already signed up. This is the third year for the contest which is being sponsored by the Enterprise Chamber of Commerce, O. I. Cunningham is working hard on the project of the Chamber because he knows that it will increase corn income. If you would like to have an application blank, let us know and we will mail you one.

DISEASED PINES

A lot of people have called us the past few days about their pines having a swelling on the limbs or on the trunk with an orange or yellow material covering the swelling. Unfortunately, there is no way to prevent this disease which is called fusiform rust. Trees

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Plans In Mill For More Vet Benefits

Two bills which would grant full benefits to Veterans of the Viet Nam Conflict and increase pensions for disabled veterans already on Veterans Administration rolls received support recently from the Administration. Veterans Affairs, William J. Driver appeared before the sub-committee on Compensation and Pension of the Veterans Affairs Committee of the House of Representatives to urge passage of the legislation.

The proposed legislation, H. R. 4786 and H. R. 4788, introduced by committee chairman Olin Teague, (D-Tex.), incorporates the recommendations of President Johnson's message to Congress on January 31 concerning veterans' benefits.

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The bill would extend to veterans of the Viet Nam Conflict entitlement to (1) disability compensation at wartime rates, (2) disability pensions, (3) non-service connected veterans and death pensions for widows and children, (4) extension of VA medical benefits, (5) a burial flag, (6) \$250 burial allowance, and (6) \$1600 toward the purchase of an automobile by certain disabled veterans.

The other bill receiving support from Administration Driver is H. R. 4788, which relates to the current non-service-connected disability and death pension program. It calls for a 5.4 percent increase in these pensions and was estimated by Driver to affect 1.4 million veterans, widows, and dependents. The bill also provides that retirement benefits and social security benefit increases would not be counted for income purposes in determining eligibility for these pensions.

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COFFEE NEWS & CHAT

BY: SARA E. HUTCHINSON

INSPECTING WALLPAPER - Mrs. Carroll Stephenson, right, is showing Sara Hutchinson, Associate County Extension Chairman, wallpaper which she hung in the kitchen of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McLean.

In return for all the helpful work the Stephensons have done on the remodeling of the McLean home, Mrs. McLean furnishes them with fresh vegetables for eating and freezing.

SHRUBBERY MISTAKE

I notice a lot of folks throughout the county making mistakes pruning shrubbery. Throughout the year a lot of foundation shrubbery around the house will get out of shape and most folks simply go and cut the little branches off. Doing this causes the plant to put out branches again where this was cut. Doing this simply causes the plant to thin out down at the bottom and get thicker at the top like an ice cream cone.

CALF SHOW

A lot of farm families and also families here in town have told us that they plan to attend the 30th annual Coffee County 4-H Club Beef Calf Show. The show is all set for Friday night, April 21, at the Little League Field in Enterprise. The Little League Field is located back of the Community Center.

CHEMICALS ON CORN

Rob English of Damascus

We feel like several hundred people who have an interest in seeing good cattle will attend the 4-H Club boys and girls will be participating for several hundred dollars in prize money. This can be an enjoyable family occasion for a lot of people.

Good Feeding Can Decrease Pig Losses

Baby pig losses are linked to many causes, but most are related to the pig's nutritional status, states James Danion, Extension animal husbandman.

Nutritionally balanced formulas for excellent baby pig starter rations are available from Auburn University, continues Danion, but because of the complexity of these rations, many producers prefer to buy a commercial starter ration.

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HOUSEHOLD HINT

At Rhodes Homemakers Club, Mrs. Harry Jordan told us that she keeps a

State Residents Warned Of Unlicensed Insurance

The State Department of Insurance has cautioned residents of Alabama against purchasing insurance from insurance companies not licensed in this state.

The advice came after the State Insurance Department received numerous inquiries regarding the status of one company flooding the state with literature promoting a full protection extended to policyholders of companies licensed in Alabama. The buyer is also responsible for reporting the purchase of the insurance contract to the State Insurance Department and for paying the proper premium tax.

There are approximately 400 companies properly licensed and qualified to write accident and hospital policies by the Alabama Insurance Department and citizens of this state are urged for their own protection to purchase their insurance from these companies," said Insurance Superintendent, Walter S. Houseal.

Home Safety Care Urged

With spring housecleaning and early gardening, city apartments and suburban homes have more potential fire hazards at this time of year than at any other, the Greater New York Safety Council cautioned householders.

Mrs. Marjorie B. May, the Council's director of home safety urged that poisons and caustic substances such as detergents be kept where small children cannot reach them and that precautions be taken against mistaken ingestion by children.

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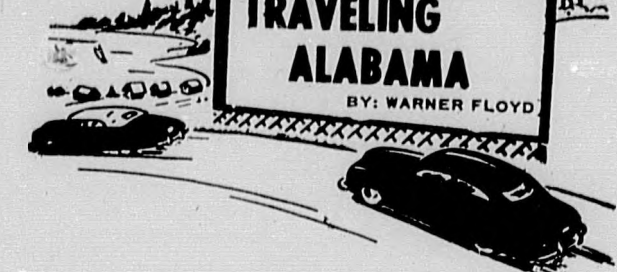
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TRAVELING ALABAMA

BY: WARNER FLOYD

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Called the "Natchez of the Chattahoochee," Eufaula may be a better bargain for visitors than their nicknames.

The Alabama bluff city has the homes, several of the finest white-columned mansions in America. Thirty other neo-classical dwellings, many built by the eight homes which will be open to you, add to the pilgrimage setting.

This and Barbour County city offers much more than a charming hundred-year-old homes: Lake Eufaula, 45,000 acres of recreational water stretching to the city's limits; a restored 1850 inn used later as a Confederate Army Hospital; a downtown museum featuring pioneer farm implements and household goods; Shorter Mansion's large portraits of six Alabama governors who came from Barbour County, and a tree decided to itself.

IT'S UP TO YOU

By Howard E. Kershner, L.H.D.

The Connolly Act

Announcements state that the National Council of Churches will start a so-called Connolly Act. This undoubtedly refers to the resolution providing for the adherence of the United States to the World Court of the United States of America. The Connolly resolution provides that our country should not join the World Court unless our government is not present to the action. It is not generally known that no communist nation adheres to the World Court, yet every communist nation may have one of its nationals elected to serve as a judge on that court. There are 15 judges and 9 constitute a quorum. In case there were 9 judges sitting, 5 could render a decision. It might well happen that all five would be communists.

What would happen to our country if we were tried by a World Court having a majority of communist judges? Suppose the USSR should claim Alaska, or Mexico should claim the southwestern part of our country. These territories formerly belonged to Russia. The Communist judges would of course authorize their return. Suppose we were hauled before the court charged with aggression in Vietnam. Suppose China brought an action in the World Court for the return of Taiwan, accusing the United States of seizing that portion of her territory. As long as we have the Connolly resolution, we need not submit such cases to the jurisdiction of the World Court. But if that resolution is repealed, we would be the victim of the court's decision, not only in those cases, but in any other case that our enemies chose to bring against us.

Faulk Named To Help Cancer Drive

Bill B. Faulk has been named co-chairman of the 1967 Crusade of the American Cancer Society for Coffee County. Crusade Chairman Joe H. Bruce announced this week. The society's annual education and fund-raising drive began the first of April, which is "Cancer Control Month" by Presidential proclamation. The county crusade chairman also listed other citizens who will serve as chairmen of various committees. They are: Mrs. S. O. Parker, Basin; Mrs. Elmer Bryan, Pine Level; Howard Lassiter, Mixson Community; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wilkes, Zion Chapel; and others will be added this week.

Medicare Beneficiaries Urged To Call SS Office

Medicare beneficiaries who plan to file claims for reimbursement of doctor bills are urged to contact the Social Security office for assistance. Mr. Harry N. Scott, District Manager for Social Security in Dothan reports that large numbers of Medicare beneficiaries are experiencing significant delay in receiving reimbursement. Within the southeast region, 5 to 8 percent of claims, depending upon the particular state, must be returned for additional information. Of cases returned, approximately 10 percent require additional description of illness or injury. In most cases, the beneficiary submits his claim with the doctor's bill or receipt attached. If either the receipt or the claim form adequately describe the nature of service, the claim may be paid. Very often, however, the information provided designates such things as office visit or injection. These must be distinguished from routine examinations and from immunization shots. Many persons also submit cancelled checks. These are of little value as they fail to show the place of service, and the nature of treatment. Mr. Scott urges all beneficiaries who plan to file claims to contact the social security office for assistance. Such aid should be secured at least in filing the first Medicare claim.

The Social Security office in Dothan is located in the Federal Building, 100 West Troy Street. The regular office hours are from 8:45 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Monday through Friday, except on legal holidays. The office is also open on Saturday morning from 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 noon for the convenience of those people who are unable to visit during the regular hours.

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Student Council Officers Attend Conference

The officers of the Elba High School Student Council and two representatives from the 9th and 10th grades, along with the principal, Lamar Foley, and student council sponsor, Mrs. Jo Anne King, attended the Area Citizens' Conference in Luverne on Monday, March 27th. The students attending were Glen Bedsole, president; Steve Bragg, vice-president; Suzanne Prior, secretary; Carol Vaughan, parliamentarian; and Tommy Dewberry, reporter.

The students were divided into eight groups to discuss the importance of citizenship.

After this discussion, the group adjourned to a luncheon at the Gresham Country Club and heard an address by Dr. Ernest Stone, State Superintendent of Education.

COFFEE COUNTY 4-H'S ATTEND BEEF GROOMING DEMONSTRATION. Mr. Bob Whittenburg, State 4-H Livestock Specialist, was in charge of showing these 4-Hers how to groom their steer in preparation for the county and district beef shows. Points on washing, brushing and setting the hair on the steers were covered.

Attending this demonstration were the following 4-Hers: Phil Carroll, Susan Taylor, Allen Holloway, Greg Carroll, Chris Sessions, Davey Sessions, Herbie Holloway, Jerry Lamb, Greg Motley, Freddie Carroll, Bill Helms, Al Davis, and Carl Sanders.

Medicare Payments Slow Due To No Numbers

Reports from Blue Cross-Blue Shield, the carrier which handles medicare doctor bills for Alabama indicate that payment of some claims is being slowed up because medicare identification numbers are not shown on the request for payment form.

Harry N. Scott, social security district manager in Dothan said the problem of missing medicare numbers has also been reported missing from some forms.

"There are a couple of important things for beneficiaries who pay their doctor bills and send in their own request for payment forms to remember," Mr. Scott said. "Be careful to fill in all blanks on the top half of the form and be sure to either have your doctor complete the bottom part of the form or enclose his itemized receipt bill."

He also reminded beneficiaries that he was talking only about doctor bill claims where the "payment to the patient" method was used. Under the "assignment" or "payment to the doctor" method, the doctor sends the bill to the medicare carrier and bills the patient only for the part not covered by medicare.

"If you are inviting Dothan area beneficiaries who are making a doctor bill claim for the first time, to bring their request for payment forms into our office and let us check them," Mr. Scott said. Beneficiaries who are unable to come to the office may send their bill with their telephone number to the social security office. They will be contacted if there are any problems. The Dothan Social Security Office is located in the Federal Building, 100 West Troy Street. The telephone number is 794-3161.

CARRIES JET - A CH-47 "Chinook" helicopter carries one of six salvaged T-33 Air Force jet trainers which are used at Fort Rucker, Alabama, to teach helicopter pilots the techniques of recovering and carrying a downed airplane. A specially designed sling is used to hold the airplane.

(U. S. Army Photo)

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Elba Club To Give Jr. College Scholarship

The Twentieth Century Club will award to an Elba High School senior a Junior College scholarship, according to Mrs. Robert G. Stephens, Chairman of the Special Projects Committee.

This gift scholarship will be in the amount of \$135 which will cover tuition at the college for three quarters, beginning with the fall quarter, 1967. Applications are being accepted now and application forms can be obtained from either Mrs. Stephens or from Mr. Waylon Sharpless, Guidance Counselor, Elba High School. Award of the scholarship will be based on scholastic ability, character and financial need. Applications should be turned in to Mr. Sharpless by Friday, April 14, and a decision regarding the recipient of the scholarship will be made by April 21.

Missionary To Retire From Japan

A Methodist missionary, who has served in the fields of education and religious education in Japan for 40 years, will speak at the annual meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, Blue Lake, April 12-15.

Miss Sallie E. Carroll has returned to the United States on pre-retirement furlough. Since 1926 she has served in schools and community centers related to the United Church of Christ of Japan (Methodist related). She has taught drama and religious education and has been recreation leader.

For her service, Miss Carroll has received a national award, the Fifth Order of Merit of the Japanese Government.

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2 1 lb. rolls 89¢

SUNNYLAND PICNIC WIENERS
2 lb. 89¢

SUNNYLAND ECONOMY SMOKED SAUSAGE
2 lb. bag 79¢

DISCOUNT SPECIAL! FOLGER'S COFFEE
...1 lb. can...
LIMIT...ONE CAN WITH \$7.00 OR MORE PURCHASE

10 FOR A DOLLAR SALE
DONALD DUCK SUGAR ADDED OR UNSWEETENED
ORANGE JUICE 10 NO. 2 CANS \$1
GREEN BEANS 10 303 CANS \$1
APPLE SAUCE 10 8 OZ. CANS \$1
HOMINY 10 300 CANS \$1
PORK & BEANS 10 11 OZ. CANS \$1

DISCOUNT SPECIAL... CAMPBELL'S TOMATO SOUP
NO. 1. CAN 10¢

DISCOUNT SPECIAL... Yellow Rose Brand COOKING OIL
88 oz. jar
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Young Girls To Parade Tonight

"Little Miss Elba" will be selected from a group of twenty-six lovely little girls tonight (Thursday, April 13th) at the Elba High School Auditorium, at 7:30 o'clock. The contestants are all from the first grade at Elba Elementary School. The winner will represent Elba at the National Peanut Festival in Dothan this fall. The "Little Miss Elba" contest is sponsored by the Elba Lions Club. Proceeds realized from the contest will go toward the club's "Sight Conservation" project.

The "Little Miss Elba" contest was previously held along with the "Miss Elba" contest, but due to the number of contestants and excessive length of the program these events will not be held at separate times. The "Miss Elba" contest will not be held until later in the year. Miss Cook will serve as Master of Ceremonies.

Names of contestants are as follows: Denise Beck, Cindy Bouwell, Heidi Collier, Sharon Cox, Yolanda Kay Cotter, Brenda Culliver, Freida Davis, Lisa Davis, Melanie Duncan, J. Elliott, Benita Flowers, Jill Galtmore, Sharon Greenwood, Phyllis Ann Harrison, Sheila Harris, Lynn Hudson, Rhonda McDonald, Gypsy Morrow, Jan Oglebay, Shannon Parker, Melanie Rainer, Phoebe Russell, Wanda Sue Sexton, Cindy Smith, Virginia Vaughan, Terry Young.

First Baptist To Stage Formal Note Burning

The Elba First Baptist Church plans a special note burning ceremony on Friday, April 14, at 7:30 P.M. The occasion is the retirement of the church's debt on the educational wing of its building. This newest addition to the building was constructed and equipped in 1959.

While paying the loan of \$12,000.00 which covered the building cost, the church has continued to give financial support to local and world Christian mission causes. During the 8 year period in which the loan was being liquidated, its missions gifts have totaled \$100,962.00.

Special program guests for the Sunday morning worship service will include Reverend Murray Seay, Pastor of the Elba First Baptist Church from 1952 to 1961. It was under Seay's ministry that the building of the new wing was undertaken and completed.

Reverend Seay is presently pastor of the Dadeville Baptist Church. He is a graduate of Samford University and Southern Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky. Mrs. Seay is the former Helen Wilkes of Dothan.

Reverend George Ricker, State Secretary of the Baptist Association, will deliver the sermon. He is the morning service, Reverend Ricker is a graduate of around Mt. Dora as well.

Other winners were - Lightweight: Billy Taylor, Susan Taylor, Al Davis, Herbert Bryan. Heavyweight: Bill Taylor, Lee Boyd, Rex Wysocki, James McDonald. Crested: Space Daniels, Mike Asher, Huey Allen and Fred Lee. Showmanship (Gr.) Howard Hendley, Gary Allen, Tyler Bryan, Jimmy Bailey. Showmanship (Gr.) Lee Boyd, Huey Allen, Rex Wysocki, Herbert Bryan. Championship: Bill Taylor, Lee Boyd, Rex Wysocki and Susan Taylor. Native: Mike Asher, Jerry Lawson, Tyler Bryan and Herbert Bryan. These calves were weighed again in the first of December and again at show time.

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Church Of Christ Plans Special Music

The Church of Christ extends an invitation to the general public to attend a special musical program on Friday evening, April 14, at 7:30 P.M. The chorus from the Christian Home & Bible School of Mt. Dora will present a program of hymns and spiritual songs. The chorus is under the direction of Mr. Vernon Means and consists of some thirty-one members. The Mr. Dora Christian Home & Bible School is located in the beautiful citrus area of central Florida. It was established in 1945. Mr. Orvel Boyd is presently serving as the president of this institution. The Home & Bible School receives its support from Churches of Christ throughout the Southeast, as well as from individual members and interested friends. At the present, the Christian Home is taking care of some 75 children who are orphans. The Bible School is operated not only for the children who live in the Home but it serves the entire area in and around Mt. Dora.

Jr. Cattleman Show Beckoned 31 Entries

Coffee County Junior Cattleman held their annual show and sale in Enterprise last Wednesday night. Thirty-one calves entered in the show and a sale that totaled \$32,000.

The Grand Champion and Reserve Champion were both owned by Bill Taylor. They were chosen from Mr. W. H. Taylor's fine herd of Bullfinch Herd at his farm near Elba.

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Peanut Queen To Appear In Talent Show

The Elba Band Boosters Club is sponsoring a Variety Talent Show on Friday, April 21st, at 7:30 P.M. in the High School Auditorium.

A highlight of the program will be the appearance of Miss Jennifer McFadden, Alabama's Junior Miss and the reigning National Peanut Queen. Miss McFadden, of Enterprise, won a scholarship for her talent performance in the national Junior Miss contest at Mobile recently.

Her dance performance will be promptly at the 7:30 opening of the show therefore everyone is urged to be in their seats on time.

Industrial Days Planned In Alabama

The observance of the Eighteenth Alabama Industry Days Celebration plans have been finalized and Governor Lurleen B. Wallace has issued an official proclamation designating the week of April 24 through April 29 as Alabama Industry Days.

Governor Wallace's proclamation stated that "Alabama - Young Giant of Industry" - has established many records in leading the Southeast in total capital investment with \$623 million in 1965 and \$620 million in 1966.

She further declared that "through the united efforts of the many groups, agencies and individuals, Alabama's industrial growth reached near the \$2 billion mark during the past four years."

With the theme of WHAT ALABAMA MAKES - MAKES ALABAMA, Chairman Glenn Taylor of Birmingham challenges every citizen to take advantage of this opportunity to become better informed about the industries in his local community that help develop a greater State and improve the welfare and standard of living of all the people.

The Alabama Jaycees, the State Planning and Industrial Development Board, Auburn University, the Alabama Press Association, the University of Alabama and Associated Industries of Alabama are teamed together to tell the people of Alabama what private industry means to their community and State.

GI Loans Still Open
More than 3,609 applications for G. I. Home Loans have been received from post-Korean Conflict veterans of Alabama under the 1966 G. I. Bill. Clyde A. Harris, Loan Guaranty Officer of the Alabama VA Regional Office in Montgomery reported recently.

The reports, from VA's field stations across the nation, showed a total of 123,000 covering the period March 3, 1966 (when the new law went into effect), to February 28, 1967.

Under the Three G. I. Home Loan programs - World War II, Korean Conflict and the 1966 G. I. Bill - about 7 million G. I. Home Loans have been made with a face value of more than \$64 billion.

University Star To Speak To Local Athletes
Richard Cole, first string tackle on the 1966 Alabama Crimson Tide Football Team, will be the special guest of the Elba High School Fellowship of Christian Athletes Monday evening, April 17. Supper will be served at 7 o'clock at the Elba High School cafeteria for the Elba High School athletes, their fathers, their coaches and school administrators, to the group assembled. The local F. C. A. huddle group has elected its officers for the 1967-68 school year. These are as follows: President, David Stokes; Vice-President, Eddie Cooper; Secretary, Jimmy Hart; Treasurer, Keith Baker.

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Mrs. Frank Rainer Named Woman Of Achievement

Mrs. Frank H. Rainer, honored at the Elba Business and Professional Achievement. She was Women's Club annual dinner when the presentation of the award and announcement of her selection was made.

The significance of the award is to acknowledge personal achievements and contributions to the community which have a lasting quality.

Mrs. Rainer retired January 1, 1967, after a notable career divided between the fields of public education and social welfare.

The presentation was made by Mrs. James Boswell, Personal Development Chairman, and the trophy passed to Mrs. Rainer by Mrs. Boswell. Mrs. Boswell lauded Mrs. Rainer as a loving wife and dedicated mother while maintaining the stamina and courage to pursue a career; her untiring determination brought success not only to herself but also paved the way for college education for her three children - Frank, Jr., Montgomery; Youngwood, McLean, Virginia; and, Martha, Key West, Florida.

Mrs. Rainer made her debut as a teacher in public education in 1921 after earning a Teaching Certificate at Alabama College which was then only a three year college; however, she returned to Alabama College during the summers and earned a B. S. Degree in Home Economics in 1940. She taught in the schools at Union Springs, Georgia, and in Coffee County for sixteen years. In 1951, she entered the field of social welfare as a counselor with the Coffee County Department of Penitentiaries and Security and was regarded by the State Department as one of the most consistent and valuable workers in the state - a "born" case worker.

Although her notable career was time consuming, she did not neglect her family, church or civic participation. Her life has truly been one of service to others. Mrs. Rainer died six years ago after an extended illness.

The club, meeting at the Elba County Club, was the theme "Explore Inner Space - Read" is designed to encourage the public to use its public library and read.

WELCOME TO ELBA This message will be given to every newcomer to Elba by the newly selected Welcome To Elba Lady, Mrs. Vivian Lee, left. She is shown receiving the first of a large supply of special welcome booklets published by the Elba Chamber of Commerce. Presenting the booklet is Mr. Wayne Grantham, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce's Business and Employee Committee.

Mrs. Lee, whose husband is retired from the military service and a test pilot at Ft. Rucker, is a native of Elba and operated "Talley's Cafe" for many years. She and her husband have made their home on Smith Avenue for the past eighteen months.

Gene Brown, County Commissioner, Dies

Levy Eugene Brown, 56, died suddenly Wednesday morning, April 5, in a local hospital. He was serving his third term as Commissioner of District No. 1, Coffee County.

He was born and reared in the District he so faithfully served. Prior to being elected Commissioner, he was a farmer and also a road worker. After being elected Commissioner he devoted full time to the affairs of the county.

He was the son of the late W. J. and Mary Clark Brown. His father was very active in education and served on the County School Board for 45 years.

Funeral services were held Friday morning at 10 o'clock from the Zion Chapel Baptist Church with the Reverends Albert Churchwell and W. R. Fulmer officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Survivors include the widow, Mrs. Wayne T. Brown, Elba; two sons, Jerry and Scotty Brown, both of Elba; two brothers, Charles E. Brown, Elba, and William C. Brown, Headland; two sisters, Mrs. Ouida Jacobs, Jack, and Mrs. Lucile Dennis, Atlanta, Georgia.

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